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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:


Prior to the examination of the above identified application, please amend the
specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application claims priority under 35 USC § 119(e)(1) of provisional
application Serial No. 60/253,620, filed November 28, 2000.--

Should the Examiner have any comments or suggestions concerning this
application, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the undersigned in
order to expeditiously resolve any outstanding issues.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an Extension of Time under 37
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Variable	Mean	SD	Min	Max	Skewness	Kurtosis	Normality
Age	35.2	12.5	18	65	0.15	3.2	0.98
Gender	1.2	0.4	1	2	0.05	3.0	0.99
Education	12.5	2.1	9	16	0.25	3.5	0.97
Income	4500	1500	2000	8000	0.35	3.8	0.96
Health	2.5	0.8	1	4	0.10	3.1	0.99
Stress	3.2	1.1	1	5	0.20	3.4	0.98
Life Satisfaction	4.1	0.9	3	5	-0.10	3.0	0.99
Work Satisfaction	3.8	1.0	2	5	0.15	3.2	0.98
Family Satisfaction	4.3	0.8	3	5	-0.05	3.0	0.99
Community Satisfaction	4.0	0.9	3	5	-0.10	3.0	0.99
Overall Satisfaction	4.2	0.8	3	5	-0.05	3.0	0.99


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